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Dear Ms. Burton:

Following are the methods our laboratory employs for soil organic matter, total organic carbon and carbonates:

- **Soil organic matter** USDA Handbook 60, Walkley-Black method 24, pp. 106.
- **Total organic carbon** Leco carbon analyzer. (combustion method).
- **Carbonate** USDA Handbook 60, method 23c, pp. 105.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call. I can send summaries of the methods should you need them.

Sincerely,


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